



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Tom Josefiak, Chief Counsel
Republican National Committee
310 First Street, SE
Washington, D.C. 2003

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RE: MUR 5548

Dear Mr. Josefiak:

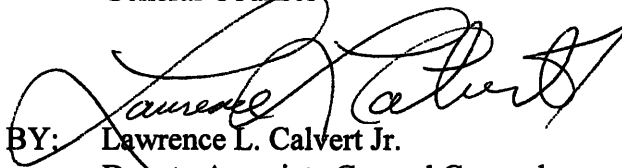
On October 5, 2004, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients, the Republican National Committee and the Committee on Arrangements for the 2004 Republican National Committee, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). On January 17, 2006, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint and information provided by your clients, that there is no reason to believe that your clients violated the Act. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

If you have any questions, please contact Marianne Abely, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Lawrence H. Norton
General Counsel

BY: 
Lawrence L. Calvert Jr.
Deputy Associate General Counsel
for Enforcement

Enclosure
General Counsel's Report

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